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SUBJECT: DUTCH OIL CONSUMPTION STATISTICS

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1. ACCORDING TO OFFICIALS IN CENTRAL PLANNING BUREAU (CPB), SIGNIFICANT DROP IN DUTCH OIL CONSUMPTION REPORTED IN HAGUE 6129 CAN BE ATTRIBUTED TO INTERACTION OF NUMBER OF FACTORS RATHER THAN JUST TO INFLUENCE OF PRICE INCREASES AND OIL EMBARGO.

2. MODEST GROWTH IN REAL DUTCH GNP OF ONLY TWO PERCENT, STABILIZATION OF TOTAL DUTCH ENERGY CONSUMPTION IN 1974
A) SMALL DECREASE FROM 64.5 MILLION OIL EQUIVALENTS IN 1973 TO 64.0 MILLION OIL EQUIVALENTS IN 1974) AND SUBSTITUTION OF NATURAL GAS FOR OIL PRODUCTS BECAUSE OF RELATIVELY HIGHER INCREASE OF OIL PRICES COMPARED WITH PRICES OF NATURAL GAS ARE AMONG MOST IMPORTANT FACTORS MENTIONED BY CPB.

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3. OTHER FACTORS ARE HIGHER OIL PRICES, NATIONAL EFFORTS

TO ECONOMIZE ENERGY IN GENERAL AND GASOLINE IN PARTICULAR
WHICH LED TO DECREASED GASOLINE SALES OF 9 PERCENT, AND
EXTREMELY MILD WEATHER CONDITIONS COMPARED WITH 1973.

4. CPB WILL GIVE MORE DETAILED EXPLANATION IN ENERGY CHAP-
TER OF BUREAU'S CENTRAL ECONOMIC PLAN, AVAILABLE AT END OF
FIRST QUARTER OF 1975.

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